

Proposed Bill No. 5465

January Session, 2009

LCO No. 2023

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by: REP. KLARIDES, 114th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING PHOSPHORUS IN DETERGENTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 446k of the general statutes be amended to prohibit the
- 2 sale of any detergent for laundry use that contains phosphorous, and
- 3 to prohibit the sale of any detergent for use in machine dishwashers
- 4 that contains five per cent or more phosphorous.

Statement of Purpose:

To require laundry detergent sold in the state to be phosphorous free and that dishwasher detergent contain less than five per cent phosphorous.